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MONTREAL FOR US REP TO ICAO

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PORG, ICAO

SUBJECT: ICAO - US CANDIDACY FOR SECRETARY-GENERAL,
HONORABLE BETTY C. DILLON

REFERENCE: STATE 035275,

1. E/C COUNS CALLED ON MFA DIRECTOR FOR UN AFFAIRS
MUNIR AKRAM ON FEBRUARY 18 AND REQUESTED SUPPORT FOR
THE CANDIDACY OF MRS. DILLON. AN AIDE MEMOIRE WAS LEFT
WITH HIM.

2. IN RESPONSE MUNIR AKRAM CONFESSED THAT HIS OFFICE
HAD NOT YET CONSIDERED THE MATTER AND HAD IN FACT
FORGOTTEN THAT THE ICAO POSITION WAS TO BE FILLED THIS
SPRING. HE PROMISED THAT THE US REQUEST WOULD BE GIVEN
SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION. THE WENT ON TO SAY THAT
HIS OFFICE WOULD OF COURSE WISH TO QUERY THE GOP
REP AT ICAO FOR HIS VIEWS. THE FINAL DECISION ON WHOM
TO SUPPORT WOULD BE MADE BY ISLAMABAD.

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3. THAT DECISION, HE SAID, WOULD BE INFLUENCED BY TWO

CRITERIA: WHETHER THE US HAD EVERY PREVIOUSLY HELD THE POSITION OF ICAO SECRETARY-GENERAL; AND HOW MANY OTHER COMPARABLE HEAD OF UN AGENCY POSITIONS WERE NOW FILLED BY AMERICANS. HE ASKED IF THE US COULD SUPPLY HIM WITH INFORMATION ON BOTH POINTS.

4. PLEASE ADVISE.
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